

# **THE COLORADO MEDICAL BOARD**

## **LICENSING PANEL MINUTES**

**April 18, 2012**

**9:15 a.m.**

Licensing Panel of the Colorado Medical Board met Wednesday, April 18, 2012, in the offices of the Colorado Medical Board, 1560 Broadway, Conference 110-A, Denver, Colorado, beginning at 9:15 a.m. The meeting was noticed in accordance with Division Policy.

Present were: Dr. Groce, Dr. Matthews, and Mr. Schoenmakers (departed at 1:33 p.m.)

Dr. Matthews conducted the meeting.

Also in attendance for all or part of the meeting were: Marschall Smith, Program Director; Maria Soto, Program Assistant; Jan Seewald, Licensing Specialist; Dennis Rhodes, Office of Expedited Settlement; and Assistant Attorney General Gina Simonson.

## **MINUTES**

A motion was made, seconded and carried to approve the minutes of the meeting of March 14, 2012, as amended.

## **EXECUTIVE SESSION**

### **Executive Session I**

A motion was made, seconded, and carried to enter into Executive Session at 9:33 a.m. The Panel entered into executive session for the following purposes:

Pursuant to Colorado Revised Statutes section 24-6-402(3)(a)(II), to confer with counsel to receive legal advice on specific legal questions regarding the applicability of CRS, section 12-36-116(1) to the following applicants:

Tristan Richards, P.A.-C  
Viorel Boborodea, M.D.  
Marvin Couch, M.D.  
Martin Springer, M.D.  
Martin Straznicky, M.D.  
Dinash Yanamadula, M.D.  
Polly Train, MD

To discuss medical information and medical records which are confidential pursuant to Colorado Revised Statutes Title 25, article 1, part 12 and Colorado Revised Statutes section 13-90-107(1)(d) in relation to the following applicants:

Leonard Cain, M.D.  
Marvin Couch, M.D.

Pursuant to C.R.S. section 24-6-402(3)(a)(III), for the purpose of discussing matters required to be kept confidential by state statute, specifically a Confidential Agreement, which is applicable to an applicant's whose identity and medical information is confidential pursuant to Colorado Revised Statutes 12-36-118.5.

Treatment records of applicants(s) whose identity and treatment information is confidential pursuant to federal law (42 U.S.C. 290dd-2; 42 CFR Part 2); and section 25-1-312 of the Colorado Revised Statutes.

Pursuant to Colorado Revised Statutes section 24-6-402(3)(a)(II), to confer with counsel to receive legal advice on specific legal questions regarding the applicability of the legal requirements set forth in CRS, 12-36- 107.6; 12-36- 107(2)(b-c); 12-36-102.5 (3); and policy 20-5 to the following individuals:

Aaron Mohanty, M.D.  
Jose J. Chavez, M.D.

After discussion, the Panel exited the Executive Session at 11:00 a.m.

### **Executive Session II**

A motion was made, seconded, and carried to enter into Executive Session at 11:42 a.m. The Panel entered into executive session for the following purposes:

Pursuant to Colorado Revised Statutes section 24-6-402(3)(a)(II), to confer with counsel to receive legal advice on specific legal questions regarding the applicability of CRS, section 12-36-116(1) to the following applicant:

Lisa R. Rittle, D.O.

Pursuant to C.R.S. section 24-6-402(3)(a)(III), for the purpose of discussing matters required to be kept confidential by state statute, specifically a Confidential Agreement, which is applicable to an applicant's whose identity and medical information is confidential pursuant to Colorado Revised Statutes 12-36-118.5.

After discussion, the Panel exited the Executive Session at 12:07 p.m.

### **Executive Session III**

A motion was made, seconded, and carried to enter into Executive Session at 12:52 p.m. The Panel entered into executive session for the following purposes:

Pursuant to Colorado Revised Statutes section 24-6-402(3)(a)(II), to confer with counsel to receive legal advice on specific legal questions regarding the applicability of CRS, sections 12-36-111.3(3) and 12-36-106 to the following individuals and entities based on complaints before the Panel:

William G. Rainer, M.D.  
Glenn Wallis, M.D.

Pursuant to C.R.S. section 24-6-402(3)(a)(III), for the purpose of discussing matters required to be kept confidential by state statute, specifically Colorado Revised Statute section 12-22-704, to discuss and review records derived from the prescription drug use monitoring program as they relate to this Panel's discussion of the following individuals:

William G. Rainer, M.D.

After discussion, the Panel exited the Executive Session at 1:00 p.m.

## **LICENSING MATTERS**

### **Physicians – Administratively Approved**

A motion was made, seconded, and carried to approve the physicians applicants listed below for licensure:

Amateau, Stuart Kevin  
Anderson, Sara Kate  
Anderson, William Carl  
Anoff, Debra Leigh  
Applegate, Larissa Ann  
Aschner, Yael  
Becker, Todd Charles  
Beirne, Sandra Denise  
Bertagnolli, Reono  
Bjerke, Brian Peter  
Bohl, Jamison Wade  
Bohle, Daniel James  
Braden, Beau Russell  
Chan, Christine Loctine  
Clary, Matthew Scott  
Coker, Adam David  
Culpepper, Christine Barrett  
Distefano, Michael Charles  
Escudero, Gary Arnold  
Eyster, Darlene Louise  
Fender, Christopher Pell  
Fowler, Todd Robert  
Fraley, Alexander Eugene  
Froelich, John Marshal  
Furrey, Vincent Edward  
George, Christopher Arthur  
Glass, Jonathan Saul  
Gleason, Desiree Sue  
Goldstein, Barbara Leah  
Grandey, Krista Alene  
Grathwohl, Patrick John, JR  
Green, Heidi Bachman  
Gustafson, Karen Elizabeth  
Guy, Michael Stephen  
Haase, Amy Kathleen  
Halenkamp, Timothy William  
Hamburger, Nathan Richard  
Harder, Jonathan David  
Haroutunian, Mischa  
Heisel, Kaitlin Wells  
Hofer, Anne Catherine  
Holliday, Ruth  
Huchun, Teresa  
Huckleberry, Jason M  
Ip, Jasper Soonghong  
Ippen, Casey Michelle  
Jacobson, Brent Robert  
Kareus, Seth Andrew  
Kleck, Christopher John  
Koos, Kirsten Marie  
Kreso, Elma  
Kuykendall, Sarah Elise  
Learned, Mark Graves

Lee, Erika Mandy  
Leigh, Tyler Thomas  
Liel, Meghan Shaw  
Majidi, Shideh  
Malone, LaDonna Jean  
McKinney, Nicole Andrea  
Mellion, Sarah Anne  
Meyers, Jessica Leigh  
Mitchell, Garrett Scott  
Moles, Matthew James  
Mortazavi, Mohammed  
Nash, Robert Arthur  
Oliver, Shelley Marie  
Olson, Matthew David  
Patel, Nirav Hasmukhlal  
Patron, Mark Espique  
Paul, Jennifer Helen  
Paul, Jonathan Daniel  
Pena, Kristin Suzanne  
Pevoto, Patrick Scott  
Pharris, Jennifer Louise  
Potash, Martin Kyle  
Prosnitz, Leonard Richard  
Ravert, Brian Lee  
Reynolds, Cecily Malise  
Rossignol, Anne B  
Scholes, Melissa Anne  
Shariat, Bridget Marie  
Sherwood, Scot Hamilton  
Silverberg, Amy Mara  
Siomos, Austine Kuder  
Slauson, Stephen Douglas  
Snow, Terri Omessi  
Sorensen, Kristen Lyn  
Spence, Jeffrey Robert  
Stanton, Paul  
Stepp, Evan Lawrence  
Strunk, Adam Omenn  
Teixeira, Joao Pedro  
Thomas, Justin Michael  
Tivorsak, Tanya Lyn  
Tripi, Carissa Jean  
Warren, Beth Michelle Boulden  
Wilkerson, Jani C  
Wilkey, Barbara Jeanne  
Wilkinson, Stacy Leigh  
Willis, Mark W  
Winkler, John Parley  
Wittman, Catherine Ann  
Youngberg, Stephen Paul  
Zalkin, David Marshall

**Physician Training Applicants – Administratively Approved**

After review of the application, a motion was made, seconded, and carried to endorse the administrative reinstatement of the license.

Dunn, Albert Sean Matthew  
Robinson, Kristina Katherine

**Physician Applicants – 1 Civil Malpractice Case - Administratively Approved**

After review the of the application, a motion was made, seconded, and carried endorse the administrative reinstatement of the license.

Nereida Romero, M.D.  
(Reinstatement)  
Milo Mark Ujevich, M.D.  
(Endorsement)

**IMG Applicants – Administratively Approved**

A motion was made, second, and carried to grant the physician applicants listed below a Colorado medical license pursuant to section 12-36-107.6., C.R.S.:

R. Kevin Flynn, M.D.	Mihaela Onciu, M.D.
Marcel Jabour Junqueira, M.D.	Marisol Garcia Penichet, M.D.
Hwa Ing Kang, M.D.	Gokulan Ratnarajah, M.D.
(Endorsement)	Igor Borisovich Rozenvald, M.D.
Ameeta Kharbanda, M.D.	(Endorsement)
Mykola Mohuchy, M.D.	Anita M. Zachariah, M.D.

**Special Physician Assistant Applicants – Requiring Board Review**

**Maysel Dagger, P.A.-C**

After review of the application, a motion was made, seconded, and carried to grant a Colorado physician assistant license.

**Tristan Cyrus Richards, P.A.-C**

After review of the application, a motion was made, seconded, and carried to table for a CPHP evaluation.

**Physician Applicant – Reactivation – Requiring Board Review**

**Michael George Lemley, M.D.**

After review of the application, a motion was made, seconded, and carried to grant Dr. Lemley a re-entry license pursuant to section 12-36-114.5, Colorado Revised Statutes.

**Physician Applicant – Reinstatement – Requiring Board Review**

**Leonard William Cain, M.D.**

After review of the application, a motion was made, seconded, and carried to table for a CPHP evaluation.

A second motion was made, seconded, and carried to allow Dr. Cain to withdraw his application.

**Special Physician Applicants — Requiring Board Review**

**Jonathan Adam Bielfield, D.O.**

After review of the application, a motion was made, seconded, and carried to grant Dr. Bielfield a Colorado medical license.

**Viorel Boborodea, M.D.**

Dr. Boborodea appeared before the Panel, presented information in support of his application, and answered questions from the Panel.

After full consideration of the information available, a motion was made, seconded, and carried to deny Dr. Boborodea a Colorado Medical license.

A second motion was made, seconded, and carried to allow Dr. Boborodea to withdraw his application.

**Marvin Wayne Couch, II, M.D.  
(Endorsement)**

After review of the application, a motion was made, seconded and carried to table for CPHP evaluation.

A second motion was made, seconded, and carried to provide instructions to the Program Director and to authorize the Program Director to act for the Panel within the parameters of those instructions.

A third motion was made, seconded, and carried to allow Dr. Couch to withdraw his application.

**Martin Ferdinand Bligh Springer, M.D.  
(Endorsement)**

After review of the application, a motion was made, seconded and carried to table for CPHP evaluation.

A second motion was made, seconded, and carried to authorize the Program Director to approve the applicant for licensure based on the results of the CPHP evaluation.

A third motion was made, seconded, and carried to allow Dr. Springer to withdraw his application.

**Susan Kaye Turney, M.D.**

After review of the application, a motion was made, seconded, and carried to grant Dr. Turney a Colorado medical license limited to the practice of administrative medicine as the applicant requested.

**Special Applicants – Tabled - Requiring Board Review**

**James Lee Grigsby, M.D.**

After review of the application, a motion was made, seconded, and carried to grant Dr. Grigsby a Colorado medical license.

A second motion was made, seconded, and carried for the Panel to instruct staff to send Dr. Grigsby a letter outlining some of the resources available to all Colorado Physicians.

**Stephen Gerard Henke, M.D.**

After review of the application, a motion was made, and seconded, and carried to grant Dr. Henke a Colorado medical license.

**Lisa Robin Rittel, D.O.**

A motion was made, seconded, and carried to provide instructions to the Program Director and authorize the Program Director to act for the Panel within the parameters of those instructions.

**Ronald Joel Shumacher, M.D.**

After review of the application and proposed Licensing Stipulation and Final Agency Order, a motion was made, seconded, and carried to approve the Licensing Stipulation and Final Agency Order.

**Special IMG Applicants – Requiring Board Review**

**Aaron Mohanty, M.D.**

The Panel conducted an investigation in accordance with Board policy 20-05, reviewed the circumstances and training information regarding Dr. Mohanty's request for a waiver of the Board's postgraduate training requirements.

Based on the results of its investigation and Dr. Mohanty's demonstrated training, a motion was made, seconded, and carried to waive the Board's postgraduate training requirements.

A second motion was made, seconded and carried to waive the timeline provision of paragraph 5 of Board Rule 100 and grant Dr. Mohanty a Colorado medical license.

**Martin Hynek Straznicky, M.D.**

Dr. Straznicky appeared before the Licensing Panel, presented information in support of his application, and answered questions from the Panel.

After review of the application, a motion was made, seconded and carried to grant Dr. Straznicky a Colorado medical license.

**Dinash Kumar Yanamadula, M.D.**

After review of the application, a motion was made, seconded, and carried to table for a CPHP evaluation.

A second motion was made, seconded, and carried to allow Dr. Yanamadula to withdraw his application.

**Miscellaneous**

**Polly Fleet Train, M.D.**

After review of additional information, the panel tabled further action on this application and directed the Attorney General's Office to obtain further information regarding this applicant's qualifications for licensure pursuant to section 12-36-111, Colorado Revised Statutes.

**Glenda Weeman, D.O.**

After a review of information presented by the Attorney General's Office, the Panel approved this applicant for a Colorado medical license consistent with its prior guidance.

**Add-On:**

**Cristina Fernandez Conklin, M.D.**

After review of the application, a motion was made, seconded, and carried to grant Dr. Conklin a Colorado medical license.

A second motion was made, seconded, and carried for the Panel to instruct staff to send Dr. Conklin a letter outlining some of the resources available to all Colorado Physicians.

**UNLICENSED PRACTICE MATTERS**

**William Gerald Rainer, M.D.**

The Panel reviewed information regarding Dr. Rainer's inactive license status and evidence of active practice.

A motion was made, seconded, and carried to investigate the matter further.

**Robert Wade Schwabe**

Dr. Groce recused himself from participation in the matter and did not participate in the discussion or motions.

The Panel reviewed memorandum from the Office of Investigations.

A motion was made, seconded, and carried to refer the matter to the Attorney General's office for a legal investigation and to issue injunctive action as indicated.

**Glenn Wallis**

The Panel reviewed a Report of Investigations.

A motion was made, seconded, and carried to refer the matter to the Attorney General's office for a legal investigation and to file legal action as indicated.

**GENERAL DISCUSSION ITEMS**

**Rule 140 & Distinguished Foreign Training Licenses (DFTL)**

After review of confidential attorney client communication and general discussion, a motion was made, seconded and carried instructing staff to prepare revisions to Board Rule 140 to be presented at the next meeting of the full Colorado Medical Board.

**Reporting of applicant's withdrawal**

A general discussion was held regarding the reporting of application withdrawals to the Federation of State Medical Boards. No action was required or taken on this matter.

**ADJOURNMENT**

**There being no further business, the meeting was adjourned at 1:45 p.m.**

**These minutes were approved the Licensing Panel on May 16, 2012.**

*Approved by: Kathleen Matthews, M.D. Date: May 16, 2012*